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Sir:

With reference to the filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office of an application for patent in the name(s) of:

> Takashi Kumagai Izuru Tanaka

entitled:

COMMUNICATION SYSTEM, COMMUNICATION METHOD, DISTRIBUTION APPARATUS, DISTRIBUTION METHOD AND TERMINAL APPARATUS

	Small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9(f) is claimed and the amounts shown in parentheses below have been employed.
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D N	X Specification
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	X unsigned Oath or Declaration, Power of Attorney & Petition
	X 14 Sheet(s) of Drawings
w Q	X Our check for \$1,846.00 calculated as follows:
₩ ₩	Basic Fee of \$710 (\$355)\$ 710.00
	32 Total Claims in excess of 20 at \$18 (\$9)\$ 576.00
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-	Assignment Recording Fee of \$40\$0 .00
	X Certified copy of each of the following to substantiate the claim for priority:

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Respectfully submitted,

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